



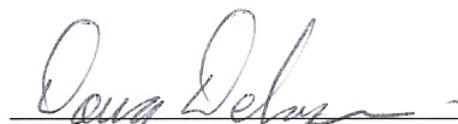
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118<sup>th</sup> AIRLIFT WING  
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**Environmental Management System  
Policy Statement**

The 118<sup>th</sup> Airlift Wing is committed to conducting its mission in an environmentally responsible manner that will protect human health, natural resources, and the environment. In doing so, we will comply with all environmental laws and regulations applicable to the conduct of our mission and strive for continual improvement in our environmental performance. This commitment goes beyond compliance with the law and encompasses the integration of sound environmental practices into our daily decisions and activities. We have in the past, and will continue in the future, to pursue a course of responsible environmental stewardship. In support of our environmental policy, we will:

- Maintain an effective environmental management system, promote the use of safe technologies and operating practices, and remain ready to respond to emergencies in order to improve our environmental performance and minimize adverse impacts to the 118<sup>th</sup> Airlift Wing employees, their families, and the environment.
- Set environmental goals, measure progress, take corrective action when necessary, and communicate results and other environmental information regarding the 118<sup>th</sup> Airlift Wing's operations and its environmental accomplishments to employees, the community, suppliers, regulators, and the public.
- Investigate and evaluate new and innovative technologies and practices as appropriate, establish and implement an effective pollution prevention program, minimize the generation of wastes, recycle materials otherwise destined to become waste when possible, and dispose of any remaining wastes in an environmentally responsible manner.
- Ensure the responsible use of energy throughout the installation, including the adoption of innovative practices and procedures that will conserve energy and improve energy efficiency.
- Provide regular operation-specific environmental performance reviews and assessments, and develop plans to address actual or potential noncompliance situations.

Compliance with the Environmental Policy is the responsibility of every member of the 118<sup>th</sup> Airlift Wing community in accordance with his or her role and responsibilities within the organization.

  
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